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Patent Application

Inventor(s) : Max Ward Muterspaugh
Serial No. : 10/509,943
Filed : October 4, 2004
Title : LINE FREQUENCY SWITCHING REGULATOR
Examiner : Shawn Riley
Art Unit : 2838

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN
ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450**

Sir:

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension in the statutory period for response to the Office Action from July 27, 2006 to October 27, 2006 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite extension fee of \$1,020.00, and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0832.

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 27, 2006 for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending July 27, 2006 was set in which to respond, please consider the accompanying remarks.

Listing and Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.



Effective on 12/08/2004.

Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL

for FY 2006

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1020.00

Complete if Known

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order

☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____

Customer Number 24498

☒ Deposit Account: Deposit Account Number 07-0832

Deposit Account Name: THOMSON LICENSING INC.

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☒ Credit any overpayments

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity
Fee (\$)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)

Multiple dependent claims

Fee (\$)

Total Claims - 20 or HP = Extra Claims Fee (\$)

Multiple Dependent Claims

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Fee (\$)

Independent Claims - 3 or HP = Extra Claims Fee (\$)

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 100 =	/ 50 =	(round up to a whole number) x		

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Request for Extension of Time

Fees Paid (\$)

1020.00

SUBMITTED BY

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